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SUBJECT: W/W REVIEW CASES OF ALL AMCIT PRISONERS

REF: STATE 194199 & 230071

1. DENIAL OF CONSULAR ACCESS - PER POST FILES, STRAUS WAS ARRESTED ON FEBRUARY 20, 1975, POST DID NOT LEARN OF ARREST UNTIL SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 22, WHEN A ROBERT LEVESQUE CALLED POST INFORMING THEM OF THE ARREST OF TWO AMERICANS IN NOGALES. CONOFF WAS ABLE TO REACH DISTRICT ATTORNEY ON TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 25 AND VISIT STRAUS ON FEBRUARY 26, 1975. POST LOOKS TO EMBASSY TO REACH A SATISFACTORY AGREEMENT WITH THE MEXICAN GOVERNMENT REGARDING NOTIFICATION OF ARREST OF AMCITS AND EARLY CONSULAR ACCESS.

2. CONOFF VISITATIONS - PER POST FILES, STRAUS WAS SEEN ON FEBRUARY 26, 1975 AND DID NOT KNOW WHY HE WAS ARRESTED. CONOFF FOUND OUT STRAUS WAS CHARGED WITH POSSESSION OF A SMALL AMOUNT OF MARIJUANA. STRAUS HAD NO OTHER COMPLAINTS AND HAS NOT APPEARED FOR INTERVIEW AT ANY MONTHLY CONOFF VISIT SINCE FEBRUARY 26.
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